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Mr. Archie R. Hickerson Manager - Rates Atlanta Gas Light Company Location 1686 P.O. Box 4569 Atlanta, GA 30302-4569

RE:

Audit of Chattanooga Gas Company ACA Filing - Docket No. 02-00929 Audit of Chattanooga Gas Company IPA Filing - Docket No. 02-00928

Dear Mr. Hickerson:

On January 9, 2003, we requested an extension of the six month deadline for the completion and approval of the Staff's audit of Chattanooga Gas Company's ACA and IPA filings from February 26 to March 17, 2003. At the time, it appeared that would allow Staff sufficient time to place the audits on the March 17, 2003 Directors' conference agenda. However, we now find that Dan McCormac will be out of town for two weeks in March, dates which encompass the March 17 agenda date. To ensure that there is ample time to accommodate the normal approval process, I am asking for an additional extension to April 21, 2003, the second Authority conference in April. The final reports can still be issued in March.

It is my understanding from our communications on February 7 that the Company does not have a problem with this additional extension. If this is not correct, please notify me immediately. If you have any questions regarding this request, you can contact me at (615) 41-2904, extension 178.

Sincerely,

Pat Murphy

Senior Financial Analyst Energy and Water Division

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Sara Kyle, Chairman Dan McCormac

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